

16. (New) A hair styling polymer comprising:

- (a) from about 0.04% to about 1.5% active of a holding polymer selected from the group consisting of a vinyl-based resin and an acrylic-based resin;
- (b) a saccharide with greater than 55 monomer units; and is selected from the group consisting of hydroxyethyl cellulose, and polyglucose saccharide; and
- (c) a carrier selected from the group consisting of methanol, ethanol, n-propanol, isopropanol, and a mixture thereof; and

wherein the ratio of (a) to (b) is about 1.0:2.2 to about 1.0:01.

17. (New) A hair styling polymer according to claim 1, wherein the ratio of (a) to (b) is about 1.0:1.25 to about 1.0:0.1.

18. (New) A hair styling polymer according to claim 1, wherein the ratio of (a) to (b) is about 1.0:0.7.

19. (New) A method for styling hair which comprises:

- (a) contacting the hair with a composition of claim 1;
- (b) shaping the hair;
- (c) drying the hair; and
- (d) combing the hair into a desired style.